IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA NORTHERN DIVISION

ANNYE J. THOMAS,)	
Plaintiff,)	CASE NO. 2:06-cv-1101-WKW
V.)	CASE NO. 2.00-CV-1101-WKW
ALLSTATE LIFE INSURANCE	,	
COMPANY, et al.,)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

Upon consideration of the Defendant Allstate Life Insurance Company's Motion to Dismiss (Doc. #6) filed on December 18, 2006, it is hereby

ORDERED that the motion be submitted without oral argument on February 5, 2007.

It is further ORDERED that the plaintiff file a response which shall include a brief and any evidentiary materials on or before January 29, 2007. The Defendant may file a reply brief on or before February 5, 2007.

Briefs in support of or in opposition to any motion or application to the Court should not exceed 25 pages. In all cases in which briefs exceed 25 pages, counsel must include a table of contents indicating the main sections of the brief, the principal arguments and citations to primary authority made in each section, and the pages on which each section and any sub-sections may be found.

The parties are further advised that they are required to submit a paper courtesy copy of briefs and supporting evidence to the Chambers of the undersigned. The paper courtesy copy shall be bound in a three-ring binder and tabbed for those submissions (including briefs and evidentiary materials) that exceed 25 pages

DONE this the 8th day of January, 2007.

/s/ W. Keith Watkins
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE